## BALDWIN HILLS CONSERVANCY (BHC)

## **RESOLUTION 13-02**

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A SUPPORT LETTER TO THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY FOR CULVER CITY'S BALLONA CREEK BIKE PATH CONNECTIVITY PROJECT AT HIGUERA STREET BRIDGE GRANT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, the Baldwin Hills Conservancy (BHC) was created to acquire open space and manage public lands within the Baldwin Hills area and to provide recreation, restoration and protection of wildlife habitat within the Conservancy territory; and

WHEREAS, Culver City Public Works has identified opportunities for pedestrian and bicycle improvements that will provide better public safety and access to the Ballona Creek Bike Path and the Baldwin Hills Scenic Overlook; and

WHEREAS, Culver City's grant application seeks to link open space, transportation and other important facilities in a manner consistent with the County of Los Angeles Metropolitan Transportation Authority's 2013 Call for Projects; and

WHEREAS, the BHC has conducted studies and supports projects in the territory that are consistent with Park to Playa improvements and the inter-modal transportation opportunities presented in Culver City's grant application; and

WHEREAS, a letter of support from the BHC will demonstrate the agency's presence as a regional partner and provide a larger context for implementation of the goals of the Baldwin Hills Park Master Plan.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Governing Board of the BHC authorizes the Executive Officer to issue a letter of support for Culver City's Ballona Creek Bike Path Connectivity Project at Higuera Street Bridge grant application.

Passed and Adopted by the Board of the BALDWIN HILLS CONSERVANCY

January 18

, 2013.

ATTEST

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